

## SALK MONTHLY BULLETIN FEBRUARY 2024

\*\*REGISTRATION NOW OPEN\*\*  
March 6, 2024  
**Nathan Shock Center Symposium**  
THE SALK INSTITUTE FOR BIOLOGICAL STUDIES  
Link: <https://na.eventcloud.com/ereg/newreg.php?eventid=778413&>

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March 7, 2024  
**La Jolla Aging Meeting**  
THE SALK INSTITUTE FOR BIOLOGICAL STUDIES  
Link: <https://na.eventcloud.com/ereg/newreg.php?eventid=778417&>

February  
**1-2**

### Thursday, February 1st 2024

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm  
**"Chikungunya Virus Induced Arthritis"**  
Aileen Chang, Associate Professor, Dept of Medicine  
George Washington University  
Southern California Rheum Talks Seminar Series  
Event Registration Link:  
<https://medschool.ucsd.edu/som/medicine/divisions/ra/research/marc/seminars/Pages/default.aspx>  
Zoom Meeting: <https://uchealth.zoom.us/j/82871754383>  
Meeting ID: 828 7175 4383  
Host: MARC: Microenvironment in Arthritis Resource Center in Junction with UC San Diego, UC Los Angeles and Cedars Sinai  
Contact: Alisa Prewett, [marcadmin@health.ucsd.edu](mailto:marcadmin@health.ucsd.edu)

### Thursday, February 1st 2024

11:00 am - 12:00 pm  
**"Neuro-vascular interactions in the brain"**  
[Chenphua Gu](#), Harvard Medical School  
*Thursday Seminar Series*  
SALK INSTITUTE FOR BIOLOGICAL STUDIES  
Salk Institute for Biological Studies  
Trustees' Room  
Host: Greg Lemke  
Contact: KC Coria, [thurdayseminar@salk.edu](mailto:thurdayseminar@salk.edu)

### Friday, February 2nd, 2024

Registration Deadline 2/2 : [2024 Sanford Burnham Prebys Rare Disease Day Symposium & CDG Scientific and Family Conference | Sanford Burnham Prebys \(sbdiscovery\)](#)  
Event Date: March 1st-3rd 2024  
**"Rare Disease Day 2024 Symposium & CDG Scientific and Family Conference Congenital Disorders of Glycosylation "Models and Therapies"**  
SDDRC Seminar Series  
Host: San Diego Digestive Diseases Research Center  
Contact: Victoria Shokrollah, [sdrc@health.ucsd.edu](mailto:sdrc@health.ucsd.edu)

February  
**5-9**

### Monday, February 5th, 2024

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm  
**"Aging, injury, and inflammation: Understanding the limitations of tissue regeneration in the thymus"**  
Jarrod Dudakov, Ph.D.  
Fred Hutchinson Cancer Center, Seattle WA.  
DRM Seminar Series  
Event Registration  
Link: <https://uchealth.zoom.us/j/89556126929>  
Sanford Consortium for Regenerative Medicine - Room 1013 A/B  
Host: Dr. Rob Signer  
Contact: Chantal van de Sande, [ctvandesande@health.ucsd.edu](mailto:ctvandesande@health.ucsd.edu)

### Monday, February 5th, 2024

9:30 am - 10:30 am  
**"Understanding microbiota regulation of the tumor microenvironment and response to cancer therapy"**  
Romina Goldszmid, PhD, NH  
Program in Immunology seminar series  
Registration Link: [https://ucsdcloud-my.sharepoint.com/:u?person=rlivoo\\_ucsd.eduESq8QwGTXjFMfRD7xYxOaSP5UjmhYzhpB0VjdVgxdVsZEZzQT09](https://ucsdcloud-my.sharepoint.com/:u?person=rlivoo_ucsd.eduESq8QwGTXjFMfRD7xYxOaSP5UjmhYzhpB0VjdVgxdVsZEZzQT09)  
UCSD Program in Immunology  
Natural Sciences Building Auditorium  
Host: Elina Zuniga  
Contact: Jean Yoo, [kyoo@ucsd.edu](mailto:kyoo@ucsd.edu)

### Tuesday, February 6th, 2024

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm  
**"Understanding lung and pancreatic cancer development through a p53 lens"**  
Laura Attardi, Ph.D.,  
Catharine and Howard Avery Professor of the School of Medicine  
Professor of Genetics, Member, Bio-X, Member, Maternal and Child Health Research Institute, Member, Stanford Cancer Institute, Radiation Oncology - Radiation and Cancer Biology, Stanford University  
UC San Diego Department of Pharmacology Winter Seminar Series  
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO  
UC San Diego School of Medicine  
Leichtag Biomedical Research Building - Room 107  
Host: Corina Antal, Ph.D.  
Contact: Jacquelyn O'Brien, [pharmeducation@health.ucsd.edu](mailto:pharmeducation@health.ucsd.edu)

### Thursday, February 8th, 2024

12:00 am - 1:00 pm  
**"Explainable Artificial Intelligence in Precision Medicine"**  
Sun-In Lee, Ph.D.  
University of Washington  
GBSBC Seminar Series  
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO  
UC San Diego School of Medicine  
Leichtag Biomedical Research Building, Room 107  
Zoom Link: <https://uchealth.zoom.us/j/89298686869?pwd=RmNFCHFYzhpB0VjdVgxdVsZEZzQT09> Meeting ID: 892 9868 6869  
Passcode: genome!  
Host: Institute for Genomic Medicine  
Contact: Rebekah White, [rjwhite@health.ucsd.edu](mailto:rjwhite@health.ucsd.edu)

### Friday, February 9th, 2024

1:00 pm - 5:00 pm  
**"Regulation of Hepatic Energy Metabolism in Health and Disease"**  
Alan R. Saltiel, PhD  
University of California, San Diego  
UC San Diego Department of Pharmacology Winter Seminar Series  
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO  
University of California, San Diego  
Lecture Room, Leichtag 107  
Hosts: Juli Idoyaga, Ph.D.  
Contact: Jacquelyn O'Brien, [pharmeducation@health.ucsd.edu](mailto:pharmeducation@health.ucsd.edu)

### Friday, February 9th, 2024

10:00 am - 2:30 pm  
**"Body Modification: Anatomy, Alteration, and Art in Anthropogeny"**  
Co-chair: Mark Collard, Ph.D., Simon Fraser University  
Co-chair: Francesco d'Errico, Ph.D., University of Bordeaux  
CARTA Public Symposium Series  
Event Registration Link:  
[https://carta.anthropogeny.org/system/files/file\\_fields/event/2024-02-09\\_CARTA\\_Body\\_Modification\\_Anthropogeny.ics](https://carta.anthropogeny.org/system/files/file_fields/event/2024-02-09_CARTA_Body_Modification_Anthropogeny.ics)  
CARTA: UC San Diego/Salk Center for Academic Research and Training in Anthropogeny  
Contact: Lindsay Hunter, [khunter@ucsd.edu](mailto:khunter@ucsd.edu)

### Friday, February 9th, 2024

1:00 pm - 5:30 pm  
**"35th Annual Richard Lerner Frontiers in Chemistry Symposium"**  
Michael E. Jung, Ph.D., University of California  
Alán Aspuru-Guzik, Ph.D., University of Toronto  
Karen I. Goldberg, Ph.D., University of Pennsylvania  
Event Registration Link: <https://www.scripps.edu/frontiers-in-chemistry>  
Scripps Department Symposia  
SCRIPPS SEASIDE FORUM  
Scripps Research, Hazen Auditorium  
Host: Scripps, Department of Chemistry  
Contact: Mishelle McClanahan, [chemsem@scripps.edu](mailto:chemsem@scripps.edu)

### Friday, February 9th, 2024

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm  
**"Role of Transitional Epithelial Cells in Lung Injury, Regeneration, and Fibrosis"**  
Rachel Zemans, M.D.  
University of Michigan  
UC San Diego Lung Biology Seminars  
Event Registration Link:  
<https://uchealth.zoom.us/j/94342295264>  
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO  
University of California, San Diego  
Lecture Room, Leichtag 107  
Hosts: Dr. Zea Borok, Dr. Xin Sun & Dr. Yohei Korogi  
Contact: Yujuan Su, [yus018@health.ucsd.edu](mailto:yus018@health.ucsd.edu)

February  
**12-16**

### Tuesday, February 13th, 2024

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm  
**"Where cancers come from and how to make them go away?"**  
Gerard Evan, PhD, Group Leader  
Cancer Biology Laboratory, The Francis Crick Institute  
Department of Pathology, Stanford University  
*UC San Diego Department of Pharmacology Fall Seminar Series*  
UC San Diego School of Medicine  
Leichtag Biomedical Research Building - Room 107  
Host: Corina Antal, Ph.D.  
Contact: Jacquelyn O'Brien, [pharmeducation@health.ucsd.edu](mailto:pharmeducation@health.ucsd.edu)

### Thursday, February 15th, 2024

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm  
**"Human Genetics at Scale"**  
Benjamin Neale, Ph.D., Harvard University  
GBSBC Seminar Series  
The Institute for Genomic Medicine and the Bioinformatics and Systems Biology graduate program  
Event Zoom Link: <https://uchealth.zoom.us/j/89298686869?pwd=RmNFCHFYzhpB0VjdVgxdVsZEZzQT09> Meeting ID: 892 9868 6869  
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Host: Institute for Genomic Medicine  
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### Thursday, February 15th, 2024

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**"Engineering New Cell Therapies for Arthritis"**  
Farshid Gulak, Professor, Dept of Orthopaedics, Washington University  
Southern California RheumTalks Seminar Series  
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**"TBD"**  
[Steve McCarron](#), Harvard Medical School  
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Salk Institute for Biological Studies  
Trustees' Room  
Host: Graham McVicker  
Contact: KC Coria, [thurdayseminar@salk.edu](mailto:thurdayseminar@salk.edu)

February  
**19-23**

### Tuesday, February 20th, 2024

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm  
**"Structures, functions and pharmacology of molecular machines mediating neurotransmission and neuromodulation"**  
Hiro Furukawa, PhD  
Professor, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory  
UC San Diego Department of Pharmacology Winter Seminar Series  
UC San Diego School of Medicine  
Leichtag Biomedical Research Building - Room 107  
Host: Ryan Hibbs, Ph.D.  
Contact: Jacquelyn O'Brien, [pharmeducation@health.ucsd.edu](mailto:pharmeducation@health.ucsd.edu)

### Thursday, February 22nd 2024

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm  
**"Genetics of Autism"**  
Yufeng Shen, Ph.D  
Columbia Genome Center  
GBSBC Seminar Series  
The Institute for Genomic Medicine and the Bioinformatics and Systems Biology graduate program  
Event Zoom Link: <https://uchealth.zoom.us/j/89298686869?pwd=RmNFCHFYzhpB0VjdVgxdVsZEZzQT09> Meeting ID: 892 9868 6869  
Passcode: genome!  
Host: Institute for Genomic Medicine  
Contact: Rebekah White, [rjwhite@health.ucsd.edu](mailto:rjwhite@health.ucsd.edu)

### Thursday, February 22nd, 2024

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm  
**"Cognitive Interventions in Late Life"**  
Elizabeth Twamley, PhD.  
"In This Day and Age" Seminar Series by GRC and Stein"  
University of California San Diego  
Stein Clinical Research Building Conference Room 148  
Host: Howard J Phang  
Contact: Howard J Phang, [hphang@health.ucsd.edu](mailto:hphang@health.ucsd.edu)

### Thursday, February 22nd 2024

11:00 am - 12:00 pm  
**"TBD"**  
[Aron Streets](#), University of California, Berkeley  
*Thursday Seminar Series*  
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Salk Institute for Biological Studies  
Trustees' Room  
Host: Christina Towers  
Contact: KC Coria, [thurdayseminar@salk.edu](mailto:thurdayseminar@salk.edu)

### Thursday, February 22nd, 2024

4:00 pm - 6:30 pm  
**"Special Seminar: Scientific basis of new drugs"**  
**Seminar with Professor Tamas Bartfal from Stockholm University Link to Event Registration:**  
<https://salkand.salk.edu/interactPages/Modules/Calendar/Event.aspx?id=63619>  
SALK INSTITUTE FOR BIOLOGICAL STUDIES  
Salk Institute for Biological Studies  
Auditorium  
Host: Jerry Joyce  
Contact: Sharon Bowes, [bowes@salk.edu](mailto:bowes@salk.edu)

February  
**26-29**

### Tuesday, February 27th, 2024

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm  
**"Structures, functions and pharmacology of molecular machines mediating neurotransmission and neuromodulation"**  
Hiro Furukawa, PhD  
Professor, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory  
UC San Diego Department of Pharmacology Winter Seminar Series  
UC San Diego School of Medicine  
Leichtag Biomedical Research Building - Room 107  
Host: Ryan Hibbs, Ph.D.  
Contact: Jacquelyn O'Brien, [pharmeducation@health.ucsd.edu](mailto:pharmeducation@health.ucsd.edu)

### Thursday, February 29th 2024

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm  
**"Random Approaches to Decipher DNA-Encoded Gene Regulatory Logic"**  
Carl De Boer, Ph.D  
University of British Columbia  
GBSBC Seminar Series  
The Institute for Genomic Medicine and the Bioinformatics and Systems Biology graduate program  
Event Zoom Link: <https://uchealth.zoom.us/j/89298686869?pwd=RmNFCHFYzhpB0VjdVgxdVsZEZzQT09> Meeting ID: 892 9868 6869  
Passcode: genome!  
Contact: Rebekah White, [rjwhite@health.ucsd.edu](mailto:rjwhite@health.ucsd.edu)

### Tuesday, February 27th, 2024

\*\*Save the Date\*\*  
**"2024 Renato Delbecco Lecture"**  
STEVEN ARTANDI, MD, PhD  
"Clone Wars, Telomerase and Cancer"  
Host: Cancer Center, Salk Institute

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